Northeast Region Covered Employment and Wages by Major Industry Group Fourth Quarter 2008

	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			AVERAGE MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT	QUARTERLY WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES
	<u>October</u>	November	<u>December</u>	<u>EMPLOTMENT</u>	WAGES	WEEKLY WAGES
Goods Producing	14,893	13,280	12,469	13,547	\$126,587,581	\$719
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	3,470	2,364	2,170	2,668	\$17,865,274	\$515
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	460	453	443	452	\$13,238,555	\$2,253
Construction	6,203	5,730	5,243	5,725	\$52,330,857	\$703
Manufacturing	4,760	4,733	4,613	4,702	\$43,152,895	\$706
Service-Producing	69,075	68,528	68,271	68,625	\$614,570,361	\$689
Wholesale Trade	5,165	5,166	5,122	5,151	\$52,422,184	\$783
Retail Trade	10,616	10,660	10,655	10,644	\$59,739,793	\$432
Transportation and Warehousing	2,231	2,208	2,215	2,218	\$17,815,091	\$618
Utilities	207	211	209	209	\$4,103,975	\$1,510
Information	1,590	1,582	1,544	1,572	\$13,518,574	\$662
Finance and Insurance	1,877	1,895	1,856	1,876	\$20,093,101	\$824
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	991	947	982	973	\$4,883,917	\$386
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	11,074	11,156	11,255	11,162	\$186,422,608	\$1,285
Management of Companies and Enterprises	179	178	187	181	\$2,696,951	\$1,144
Administrative and Waste Management	3,226	3,108	3,050	3,128	\$19,792,293	\$487
Educational Services (private ownership)	1,618	1,628	1,668	1,638	\$19,787,129	\$929
Health Care and Social Assistance	8,815	8,716	8,760	8,764	\$74,377,382	\$653
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	759	653	705	706	\$2,125,841	\$232
Accommodation and Food Services	6,260	6,068	5,864	6,064	\$16,967,972	\$215
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1,746	1,745	1,735	1,742	\$10,916,082	\$482
Public Administration and Education	12,721	12,607	12,464	12,597	\$108,907,468	\$665
Total Covered Employment and Wages	83,968	81,808	80,740		\$741,157,942	
Average Quarterly Employment		82,172	Av	verage Weekly Wage		\$694

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